

FEC FORM 1

STATEMENT OF ORGANIZATION

Office Use Only

1. NAME OF COMMITTEE (in full) (Check if name is changed) Example: If typing, type over the lines.

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Veterans for a Strong America Action Group

ADDRESS (number and street) P.O. Box 1246

(Check if address is changed)

Sioux Falls SD 57101
CITY ▲ STATE ▲ ZIP CODE ▲

COMMITTEE'S E-MAIL ADDRESS

(Check if address is changed)

info@vsagroup.org

Optional Second E-Mail Address
dbacker@DBCapitolStrategies.com

COMMITTEE'S WEB PAGE ADDRESS (URL)

(Check if address is changed)

www.vsagroup.org

2. DATE 05 / 21 / 2013

3. FEC IDENTIFICATION NUMBER C C00521302

4. IS THIS STATEMENT NEW (N) OR AMENDED (A)

I certify that I have examined this Statement and to the best of my knowledge and belief it is true, correct and complete.

Type or Print Name of Treasurer Dan Backer

Signature of Treasurer Dan Backer [Electronically Filed] Date 05 / 21 / 2013

NOTE: Submission of false, erroneous, or incomplete information may subject the person signing this Statement to the penalties of 2 U.S.C. §437g. ANY CHANGE IN INFORMATION SHOULD BE REPORTED WITHIN 10 DAYS.

5. TYPE OF COMMITTEE

Candidate Committee:

- (a) This committee is a principal campaign committee. (Complete the candidate information below.)
- (b) This committee is an authorized committee, and is NOT a principal campaign committee. (Complete the candidate information below.)

Name of Candidate _____

Candidate Party Affiliation Office Sought: House Senate President State
 District

- (c) This committee supports/opposes only one candidate, and is NOT an authorized committee.

Name of Candidate _____

Party Committee:

- (d) This committee is a (National, State or subordinate) committee of the (Democratic, Republican, etc.) Party.

Political Action Committee (PAC):

- (e) This committee is a separate segregated fund. (Identify connected organization on line 6.) Its connected organization is a:
 - Corporation Corporation w/o Capital Stock Labor Organization
 - Membership Organization Trade Association Cooperative
 - In addition, this committee is a Lobbyist/Registrant PAC.
- (f) This committee supports/opposes more than one Federal candidate, and is NOT a separate segregated fund or party committee. (i.e., nonconnected committee)
 - In addition, this committee is a Lobbyist/Registrant PAC.
 - In addition, this committee is a Leadership PAC. (Identify sponsor on line 6.)

Joint Fundraising Representative:

- (g) This committee collects contributions, pays fundraising expenses and disburses net proceeds for two or more political committees/organizations, at least one of which is an authorized committee of a federal candidate.
- (h) This committee collects contributions, pays fundraising expenses and disburses net proceeds for two or more political committees/organizations, none of which is an authorized committee of a federal candidate.

Committees Participating in Joint Fundraiser

1. _____ FEC ID number C _____
2. _____ FEC ID number C _____
3. _____ FEC ID number C _____
4. _____ FEC ID number C _____

Write or Type Committee Name

Veterans for a Strong America Action Group

6. Name of Any Connected Organization, Affiliated Committee, Joint Fundraising Representative, or Leadership PAC Sponsor

NONE

Mailing Address

CITY

STATE

ZIP CODE

Relationship: Connected Organization Affiliated Committee Joint Fundraising Representative Leadership PAC Sponsor

7. Custodian of Records: Identify by name, address (phone number -- optional) and position of the person in possession of committee books and records.

Full Name Mr. Joel Arends

Mailing Address P.O. Box 1246

Sioux Falls SD 57101

Title or Position CITY STATE ZIP CODE

Chairman/Treasurer Telephone number

8. Treasurer: List the name and address (phone number -- optional) of the treasurer of the committee; and the name and address of any designated agent (e.g., assistant treasurer).

Full Name of Treasurer Mr. Joel Arends

Mailing Address P.O. Box 1246

Sioux Falls SD 57101

Title or Position CITY STATE ZIP CODE

Chairman/Treasurer Telephone number

Full Name of Designated Agent Dan Backer

Mailing Address 209 Pennsylvania Avenue SE
Suite 2109
Washington DC 20003
CITY STATE ZIP CODE

Title or Position Asst. Treasurer Telephone number 202 - 210 - 5431

9. **Banks or Other Depositories:** List all banks or other depositories in which the committee deposits funds, holds accounts, rents safety deposit boxes or maintains funds.

Name of Bank, Depository, etc.

Wells Fargo Bank, NA

Mailing Address 101 N. Phillips Ave.
Sioux Falls SD 57104
CITY STATE ZIP CODE

Name of Bank, Depository, etc.

Mailing Address
CITY STATE ZIP CODE

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This committee intends to make independent expenditures, and consistent with the U.S. Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit decision in *SpeechNow v. FEC*, it therefore intends to raise funds in unlimited amounts. This committee will not use those funds to make contributions, whether direct, in-kind, or via coordinated communications, to federal candidates or committees.

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